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**ULSTER UNIONISTS
DECIDE AGAINST
IRISH REPUBLIC****Action Taken at Convention
Today After Sir James
Craig Reports.****NO FURTHER CONCESSIONS**

Unionists Must Adhere to "Government of Ireland Act," Ulster Leader Tells President DeValera; 28 Crown Casualties in Week; One Is Killed.

By Associated Press.
BELFAST, May 6.—The Ulster Unionist party, in a meeting called by Sir James Craig, premier designate of Ulster, to hear the report of his conversation with Eamon DeValera, the republican leader, decided today that Ulster, having accepted the government of Ireland act, could make no further concessions.

DUBLIN, May 6.—The conversation between Sir James Craig and Eamon DeValera is said in well informed quarters to have reached an impasse over the question of a republic for Ireland. It is stated DeValera tried to win over Sir James to the idea of a republic for the whole of Ireland. Sir James replied that no negotiations on such a basis could occur. It is asserted, and the interview terminated there.

DUBLIN, May 6.—Thirty-six attacks on crown forces, with 25 casualties, one of which was fatal, are reported in the weekly summary of events in Ireland, issued from Dublin Castle today. There were 12 unsuccessful attacks on police barracks, the summary says, and three Sinn Féin murders of civilians. Forty-two raids were made and arrests for outrages, political offenses numbered 48 and 125 internment orders were issued making a total of 2,635 persons interned.

**Corporal O'Connor's
Body on Way Home;
Killed in Battle**

The body of Corporal William Henry O'Connor, one of Connellsville's best known young men, who gave up his life in the World War, is expected to arrive in New York from France within the next few days according to word received by the dead soldier's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bernard O'Connor of North First street, West Side. Corporal O'Connor was killed in action but details of the manner in which he met his death were never received by his parents. He was born in Dunbar township, the youngest child of Bernard and Rosa O'Connor. He resided in Connellsville virtually all his life, his parents moving to the West Side when he was but two years old. He was graduated from the Connellsville high school and later entered the University of New York as a law student, leaving the university to enter the service. He was a corporal in the 13th Company, Fifth Marines. Corporal O'Connor was a member of the immaculate conception church of Connellsville and was very popular among his wide circle of friends in and about Connellsville. In addition to his parents he is survived by one brother, Charles O'Connor at home, and the following sisters: Florence, wife of J. Wilbur Madigan, Carrolltown, Pa.; Laura, wife of J. F. Barron of Pittsburgh; and Anna and Kathryn O'Connor, the latter a teacher in the local schools, both at home.

**American Dead in
French Cemeteries
Total About 30,000**

By Associated Press.
HOBOKEN, N. J., May 6.—Officers commanding the army transport Sonoma which picked today with the bodies of 1,235 American soldiers who died in the war said the transport Wheaton would bring 6,000 more next week. They added that 25,000 to 30,000 more remained in French cemeteries.

"Y" DRIVE CLOSES

Dickerson Run Memberships Total 273; Army Is Winner.
The Army was victorious over the Navy in the Pittsburgh & Lake Erie railroad "Y. M. C. A. drive at Dickerson Run and members of that canvassing team were guests of the naval cadets at a banquet given last night to mark the close of the campaign. A total of 272 members were reported by the two teams.

Rev. H. A. Baum, chairman of the campaign, presided. K. E. Showalter was head waiter and had as his assistants H. N. McDonald, J. Allen Crawford, D. C. Burton, George Bentz, J. T. Lundy, A. R. Heston, E. H. Meidson and B. C. Shallenberger.

Rev. Finkley Has Pneumonia.
PITTSBURGH, May 6.—Rev. J. B. Finkley, retired Presbyterian pastor, who was dragged from the Allegheny river Monday morning as he was attempting to drown himself, has contracted pneumonia at the Allegheny hospital.

**WONER PROHIBITION
ENFORCEMENT BILL IS
SIGNED BY GOVERNOR**

Full Crew Repealer Also Approved; New Requirement Governing Boy Minors Promulgated.

By Associated Press.
HARRISBURG, May 6.—Governor Sproul approved the Woner prohibition enforcement bill, which embodies part of the Brooks high license law of 1887. Under the terms of the new law the courts will issue licenses as in the past, but the license fees in most instances are reduced to one-half of the old fees. The measure is designed to lend the state's power to enforcement of national prohibition acts.

Another bill approved by the governor was the Veto measure, making it unlawful to use any untrue, deceptive or misleading statements in advertising in newspapers, books, posters, handbills, circulars, pamphlets or letters. The measure covers all classes of advertising for merchandise, securities, investment service, or anything offered to the public for sale. The measure exempts owners of newspapers and other periodicals who accept advertising in good faith, but requires all publishers to secure the name and address of all advertisers placing classified advertisements and making records which shall be kept for two weeks and which are subject to examination by law officers.

The governor also announced his approval of the bill repealing the full crew act of 1911 and providing the Public Service Commission shall have power to require railroads to employ such number of men upon trains as in the judgment of the commission is requisite for the safe and efficient operation.

A new bill requiring minors over 16 applying for positions to present certificates of the attendance bureau of the school system has been promulgated by the State Industrial Board. This ruling was formulated for the purpose of protecting employees of labor against violations of the child labor law and the consequent imposition of a 10 per cent increase in income tax by the federal government.

Among other bills signed was the Walker act providing for establishment of standard and type weights or measures and forbidding manufacture or sale of any device not in accord with the act a year after date. Making it unlawful to give or offer money to secure proxies for use at meetings of insurance companies.

Exempting auctioneers selling only livestock and farm implements from the auctioneers license act.

Providing for planting by municipalities of memorial trees of honor to men who fell in the World War.

Providing that separate accommodation for women jurors for rest or sleep or sleep shall not operate for mistrial.

**German Leaders
In Conference on
Allied Ultimatum**

By Associated Press.
PARIS, May 6.—Leaders of German political parties met this morning to take action regarding the Allied ultimatum, says a Havas dispatch from the German capital.

BERLIN, May 6.—Prospective candidates for the new cabinet and the political parties are reserving decision concerning the formation of a new ministry until the parliamentary attitude with regard to the Allied ultimatum on financial indemnity has been clarified.

For this reason no progress was made this morning.

AT EDITORS' MEETING

John L. Gans of The Courier Will Attend State College Events.
John L. Gans left this morning for State College where he will represent The Courier at the meeting of the Pennsylvania State Editorial Association to be held at that place today and tomorrow.

The program provided by the college as entertainment for its visitors includes a get-together meeting and dinner at the University club; a luncheon by the young ladies of the domestic science department, a review by the cadet regiment, a typical students' mass meeting, a baseball game, smokers at the fraternal and other functions.

STATE COLLEGE, May 6.—About 100 Pennsylvania newspaper editors are expected to arrive here this afternoon for the first gathering of the kind ever held at the Pennsylvania State College. They will be welcomed at a University club smoker tonight.

State Health Report.
HARRISBURG, May 6.—The state department of health today announced that measles, mumps, chickenpox and whooping cough constituted more than 80 per cent of the communicable diseases in February and March.

Beans in Blossom.
William Thomas and C. B. McCormick, of The Courier force, have been in blossom in their gardens on the West Side. They are of the Welsh variety. They were planted in February.

Utrus at Greensburg.
The Robinson circus is showing at Greensburg today.

**FORTY ONE IN
DUNBAR TOWNSHIP
GRADUATE CLASS**

Miss Hazel Stoner Leads With An Average Percentage of 92.9.

COMPETITION IS KEEN

Four Others Are Separated From Honor Students by Small Margin; Commencement Exercises, June 3 at Lebanon; Class Session May 29.

Forty-one students of the senior class of the Dunbar township high school at Lebanon will be graduated at exercises to be held the evening of June 3, according to announcement today by Principal W. E. Tietbohl.

Miss Hazel Stoner has the honor of leading the class with an average percentage of 92.9 per cent. Closely following are Daniel Henry with 90.4 per cent and Edna Dittlbills with 90.3 per cent and not far behind them Carrie Fowler, 89.2 per cent, and Marie Rittenberger, 89.1 per cent.

Others in the class, in order of rank, are: Virginia Tuller, Clyde Scudliffe, Virginia Edwards, Linda Benke, Belle Mickey, Veronica Hutsky, Emil Groschen, Theodore Prichard, Ethel Valentine, Lena Hawk, Louis Pollard, Isabel Haltrill, Clarke Ogilvie, Phoebe Gildroy, James Leighty, Fred Ellis, Donald Bradley, Elizabeth Ottenberg, Michael Duffey, Mae Hardy, Edith Miller, William Work, Leah White, Ethel Dagg, Sherrida Wacker, Mildred Hanks, Mildred Wacker, Edna Hall, Caroline Hunter, Beatrice Keffe, Helen Browne, Grace Atlepie, William Welch, Lewis Fryer, Alpha Boyer and Roy Stoner.

The average number of credits earned is 184.

The annual class session will be delivered Sunday, May 29, at the high school by Dr. Will Grant Chambers, dean of the school of education of the University of Pittsburgh.

CHURCH A MENACE

Contractor Blazing Walls Says Supper Had Botted Through.
The old First Methodist Episcopal church in West Apple street, purchased by W. D. McElhinny, and which is now being razed, was in such a condition as to be absolutely dangerous to traffic passing the building and also to persons assembling in it, according to a statement made today by Isaac Cropp, who has charge of the work.

Several times Mr. Cropp has been asked regarding the safety of the church. He stated that not one person overpassing the building realized the condition of the building. The walls, 70 feet high, with dome, mortar and broken bonds. Even more dangerous, Mr. Cropp said, was the roof, the supports, the large trusses and valley timber almost entirely gone, settling from carrying their tons of slate, shooting and caving.

How the building ever stood as long as it did is a mystery to Mr. Cropp. He says he compares it only with an old trunk of a tree that stands the storms for years and then falls down on a calm day.

EXPLOSION IN TUNNEL

Man Killed in First Accident in Pittsburgh Project.

By Associated Press.
PITTSBURGH, May 6.—One man is known to have been killed by an explosion of dynamite in the West Liberty tunnel here early today. The tunnel is being driven through the Monongahela hills to connect southern suburbs with the city proper. The explosion occurred 1,700 feet from the south entrance of the tunnel. Eight other men working in the same gang escaped unhurt.

This is the first accident of a serious nature to occur since work was started 18 months ago.

Rob Safe Deposit Vault.
ROMNEY, Ind., May 6.—The safe deposit vault of the Romney bank, a private institution, was riddled early today and approximately \$7,000 in registered liberty bonds were stolen. None of the bank's property was taken. The robbers first gained entrance to the postoffice which is in the room adjoining the bank and then tunneled through the wall into the vault.

Carpenters' Strike Ends.
READING, Pa., May 6.—The carpenters' strike after running four days came to an end this morning with the men returning to work at the scale previously in force 75 cents an hour. The new scale called for 80 cents an hour.

New Pastor Sunday.
Rev. E. H. Stevens, new pastor of the First Baptist church, will arrive Saturday and take up his work here on Sunday. He is now at his home at Chester, Va.

Extirpation Small Blain.
The fire department was called to the Keystone Planting Mill yesterday afternoon to extirpate a small fire. No serious damage was done.

**All Details For
Columbus Women's
Tour Completed**

At a very largely attended meeting at the parochial school hall last night of women committees in charge of arrangements for the entertainment of lady guests at the Knights of Columbus convention next week all details were concluded for the automobile tour of historical places in the vicinity. The tour will be one of the features on Tuesday and luncheon will be served at the Uniontown Country club during the course of the trip.

Miss Anna Lowmy, chairman, presided at the meeting and reported that arrangements had been made for card parties and a theatre party to entertain the women visitors Monday while the banquet for the members of the Knights of Columbus is being served.

The banquet committee has everything in readiness for this big event of the opening day of the convention, and expects nearly a thousand in attendance. Mrs. H. B. Brown and her aides, Mrs. A. J. Wild and Mrs. W. J. Doolley, and their committee will be at the various hotels to receive the women when they arrive Monday.

**LEAGUE OF NATIONS
COVENANT WILL BE
AMENDED-VIVIANI**

United States Will Then Be Unable to Stand Aloof, He Tells Correspondents.

By Associated Press.
PARIS, May 6.—Belief that the United States could stand aside "from the work of world regeneration" if the League of Nations covenant was drastically amended was expressed today by R. Viviani in replying to queries from American correspondents as to what he thought of the prospects of the league after his recent visit to the United States.

"The League of Nations will by the September meeting of the assembly be relieved of its cumbersome and objectionable features through amendment of the covenant," he said. "It will become like a secret society. When this is done I cannot believe a nation like the United States can keep aloof from the work of world regeneration."

Mr. Viviani asked the correspondents to thank the American people on his behalf for the cordial reception accorded him in the United States.

**New Game Code Is
Signed By Sproul**

By Associated Press.
HARRISBURG, May 6.—Governor Sproul has signed the Capitol House bill making numerous changes to the game code and immediate steps will be taken by the state game commission to publish the new provisions and to arrange for enforcement during the coming season.

Under the long bill previously approved some changes were made in the hunters' license act which included requirement that tags be displayed on the back of a hunter.

No Change in Strike Situation.
HARRISBURG, May 6.—With little or no change in the printers' strike in Harrisburg, union leaders said today the number has been slightly increased.

**"Porcupine Boats," "Cotton Batting
Armor," and 99,998 Other Schemes
And Plans Offered to "End the War"**

By JONAS DANIELS
Former Secretary of the Navy.
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ARTICLE 21.
The naval consulting board was created in 1915, with Thomas A. Edison at its head. The announcement of its creation resulted in an avalanche of plans, charts, diagrams and models which kept growing in volume and variety until more than 100,000 suggestions, for inventions, completed inventions and proposals for the utilization of existing devices in new ways had been received, classified, card indexed, examined and passed upon.

Eighty per cent of them were devoted to putting the German U-boats out of business. The submarine only crippled the American long-distance liners, and stimulated the inventive spirit of the most ingenious people in the world.

I remember, one Monday morning in 1917, finding Admiral William Storrer Smith, who had charge of this work with the consulting board, sitting in something like consternation at three huge sacks of mail containing about 2,000 letters and packages.

We were literally besieged by a deluge of every variety of contrivance, persistent and each of them claiming that the adoption of a plan or device would bring the war to a victorious end within a few weeks. We dared not turn any of them away the first time, since no one could tell in advance whether the most unlikely looking person might not have a really worthwhile proposal to offer. But once the proposals were discovered and labeled in the mind of the department, steps were taken to prevent their wasting precious time of busy officials by renewed submissions.

"Idea Worth Millions."
As I was discussing department business with a bureau chief one day, the telephone rang, and a clerk said:

**HENDERSON HEADS
SALVATION ARMY
ADVISORY BOARD**

Formal Organization Completed at Meeting Thursday Night.

NEW HOME IS PROPOSED

Probable Steps Will Be Taken in Time to Secure Permanent Quarters For Army; Colonel Thomas Stanton and Staff Here May 21 and 22.

At a meeting held in council chamber Thursday night the Salvation Army advisory board was formally organized. Representative citizens from this section of the county were present and many expressions of appreciation for the work done by the army were heard.

J. B. Henderson, who presided at the meeting, was unanimously elected chairman of the board. Bela D. Smith was made vice-chairman; J. E. Wallace, secretary, and J. L. Kurtz, treasurer. Others elected on the board are Rev. J. L. Proudfoot, G. Corrado, T. J. Hooper, John L. Gans, P. J. Torrey, John Davies, A. R. Duncan and John Dugan, of Connellsville; Benton Boyd of Trotter; H. M. McDonald of Dawson; W. A. Cosgrove of Vanderbilt and Joseph M. Zimmerman of Scottsdale.

The mayor advocated a permanent home for the army corps. "You will see in return service that you have not made a mistake," he said. The men pledged themselves to care for this matter when the proper time arrives.

George A. Lancaster, district supervisor for the Salvation Army, outlined the plan for the advisory board, telling of its work and duties.

Saturday and Sunday, May 21 and 22, Colonel Thomas Stanton of Pittsburgh and his staff will pay an official visit to the Salvation Army of Connellsville. It will be their first visit here. Colonel Stanton has charge of the Western Pennsylvania and West Virginia division of the Salvation Army with headquarters in Pittsburgh. For a number of years he has lived with Commander Evangeline Booth, Mrs. Stanton being the commander's secretary.

Colonel Stanton will deliver a number of addresses while in Connellsville and will be interested in procuring better facilities for the work of the local corps. A musical entertainment will be given Saturday evening in the army hall by Colonel Stanton's staff. All are invited.

Disease Afflict Invitation.
WASHINGTON, May 6.—President Harding and his cabinet today considered the invitation from the Allied Supreme council that the United States send representatives to sit with the council, the conference of ambassadors and the reparations commission. As the cabinet assembled there was no indication of the decision, officials refusing to discuss the subject.

Two Autoists Arrested

Both Charged With Violating New Traffic Ordinance.
Two autoists were arrested yesterday for violating the parking ordinance. One, from West Newton, said he was not acquainted with the new law and that he had been detained in the office of a physician. He was discharged. The other, arrested for turning and backing in the street, did not appear for a hearing.

Chief of Police McDonald said he was not satisfied with the way in which the new law is being obeyed and is preparing to start a crusade against violators of the ordinance. Two many automobile owners are disregarding the ordinance, parking in certain streets and others allow their cars to stand over the prescribed time. The chief was preparing today to make a few arrests himself.

Aggravate Pay \$25 Forfeit.
Jenn E. Hill, a negro, was arrested yesterday for being drunk and disorderly. She left a \$25 forfeit. Two negroes, arrested on the West Side, get 48 hours each.

Hugs Cedar Avenue Lot.
W. W. Haines has put a new lot adjoining his East Cedar avenue home from S. L. and W. K. Balslev. The lot is 42 by 110 feet.

REPAIR WORK COMPLETE

Cell Room at City Hall Ready For Occupancy Tomorrow.
The men's cell department at city hall will be ready for use tomorrow. The cells there have not been in use for several weeks due to changes being made in the toilet system and general repairs.

A new concrete floor has been laid, new piping installed and the cells generally repaired. The plan for changing the position of the cells was abandoned on account of the cost and their remains as they were. There are better advantages for sanitation, however. While repairs were being made the women's department was utilized for keeping prisoners.

YOUTH FINED \$10
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Charged with having turned in a false alarm yesterday about noon from Box No. 25, three youths were given hearings before the mayor this morning in police court. They are Thomas VanGorder, Bob S. Wilson and Harry Mart. The arrests were made by Patrolman Bert Riethe.

VanGorder pleaded guilty to the charge, saying he was only fooling with the boys when out of the other boys jerked his arm, causing the alarm to go in. He was fined \$10. The other two boys were discharged.

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**GRADE SCHOOLS'
SPRING FESTIVAL
OPENS TONIGHT**

Entertain Will Go Up at 7:45 O'clock; To Be Repeated on Saturday Evening.

The first showing of the annual spring festival of the elementary schools of this city, held under the supervision of Miss Helen Grant, musical supervisor in the grades and the various teachers, will be presented at the high school auditorium tonight. The affair will also be repeated tomorrow evening.

The annual show gives the children of the grades an opportunity to demonstrate their ability in a musical line. The curtain will rise at 7:45 o'clock, the earlier hour being not because of the length of the performance and the ages of the students participating.

There will be no admission charged but only those holding tickets will be admitted until 7:45 o'clock when the doors will be opened to the public. The tickets are being given to the parents of the children in the show. The program includes songs, song drills, folk dances and solo musical numbers.

**Eating House
Employees Must
Be Disease Free**

By Associated Press.
HARRISBURG, May 6.—The Miller bill, requiring every person employed in any hotel, restaurant, dining car or public eating place to obtain a certificate from a physician showing freedom from infectious or contagious diseases has been signed by the governor.

It amends the act of 1915 and extends the eating place regulations to drinking places, requiring utensils and washroom to be kept in sanitary condition.

**Five Murders, Three
Suicides in County
In Month of April**

Five murders, three suicides, two cases of manslaughter, two nine fatalities and two deaths from accidental wounds were reported to Coroner R. H. Baum for April, according to the report made public today. There were 33 cases all told. Others were: Accidental drowning, dynamite explosion, burns, suffocation in open drain, carbon monoxide, accidental shooting, acute alcoholism and stillborn, one each, and natural causes, eight.

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**FORMER LOCAL MAN
RELIEVED OF OVER
\$2,000 BY THUGS**

John Opperman, Peanut Works, Victim; Wife Beaten and Tied to Table.

\$1,500 THEFT AT ROYAL

Other Sums Ranging From \$1,000 Down to \$20 Reported Secured by Men Who Have Been Terrorizing Region; Clue in White House Case.

While county officers and state troopers had made public no information relative to the series of robberies in the south end of the county Thursday night and also outrages earlier in the week in which cash amounting to several thousand dollars is said to have been secured, they were said this afternoon to have a "line" on the perpetrators.

A former Connellsville man, John Opperman, was one of the victims of the robber band, said to have been two Americans and two Italians. Fifteen hundred dollars in cash, \$500 in Liberty Bonds and three gold watches valued at \$150 were secured by the hold-up men at the home of Mr. Opperman at Peanut works. The highwaymen represented themselves as federal officers searching for liquor. They beat Opperman's wife, Mrs. Elizabeth Opperman, who answered the rap on the door, tied her to a table in the presence of Opperman and his two sons, Harry, 20 years old, William, 22, and a nephew, Samuel, 19, and then ransacked the house, the officers were informed.

On leaving the place, according to information given the officers, the gunmen fired four shots, two of which narrowly missed Mrs. Belle Weitzel and her babe who were at an upstairs window in a nearby house. One of the shots shattered the window. The other smashed a large mirror.

A few minutes later the bandits, said to have been traveling in an automobile, appeared at the home of John Schwartz, a Slav, at Royal works, and relieved him of \$1,500. Leaving the Slav's home the quartet started toward Brownsville.

Officers are of the belief that the same men were implicated in the holdup of David Lebovitch of Uniontown at Thompson Cross Roads. He was shot through the chest and right hand and \$800 he carried was taken. There is a theory also that the unidentified man, whose body was found near White House in Springfield township, yesterday morning with bullet wounds in his head and chest was a victim of the same band. The position of the body along the road indicated that it had been tossed from an automobile.

The maker's mark had been ripped from the pocket of the man's coat but his hat, band revealed the name of a Clarksburg, W. Va., firm through which it is believed identification may be established. The only piece of paper found on the body bore the words, in good hand "Contry Club," the spelling and being on a par with the penmanship. The man wore a large signet ring with the initials "D. K. H."

The theft of \$1,000 from a home at Royal works on Monday night has been reported. On Tuesday morning Edna Heubach, a Turk, employed at Edenboro is said to have been held up and robbed of \$500. Two Slavs, whose identity was not made known, notified the county officers they were robbed of \$800 by persons who ransacked their homes at Royal.

Two highwaymen secured a watch and \$20 in bills when they held up Frank Cedill, coalman, at Lambert.

**Rent Worry Of
Railroad Men, Lee
Tells Labor Board**

By Associated Press.
CHICAGO, May 6.—Replying to the carriers' request of the Railroad Labor Board for lower wages for railway men, W. C. Lee, president of the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen, spoke against any reduction.

Rent (increase in a number of cities were cited. "The men can hardly get by now. What they need is a wage increase, not a decrease," he said.

Complaint Is Made by a Citizen of South Connellsville that the Crescent bridge over Train run in South Pittsburg street is a threat for subsidence, of both spans. "Almost any night you can see a bunch of loud-lungs who gather there and insult women as they pass by," he says. It is a place where "orderly and disgraceful" things are going on. "Young girls are frequently seen under the bridge with their escorts, the informant says."

Complaint is made concerning an advertising sign board erected on the scene.

Commencement Date Set.
The date for the commencement exercises of the Perry township high school has been set for June 3.

Society

MISS ETHEL M. RUTH

ENGAGED TO L. F. HANF

An engagement of social prominence is that of Miss Ethel M. Ruth and L. F. Hanf, son of Mr. and Mrs. Louis M. Hanf of Rutland, Mass., announced at a charmingly appointed party at which Miss Ruth was hostess last evening at her home in Washington street. The party was attended by twenty-five young friends of Miss Ruth and was marked by unusually attractive appointments. A color scheme of pink and white, with roses, gladioli and ferns forming the pretty decorations, was effectively carried out. The engagement was officially announced at a delicious three course luncheon. The favors were small pink and white baskets filled with candy and English wall paper, cemented together in pink and containing the names of Miss Ruth and her fiance. The evening was spent in a very delightful social manner, musical numbers being rendered.

The engagement is one of interest to Connelleville's younger social set, of which Miss Ruth is a popular member. Since coming to Connelleville she has made her home with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. James Ruth of Washington avenue and for some time past has been a clerk at the Second National bank. She is also deputy registrar of vital statistics and during the World War was chief clerk to the local draft board No. 2. Mr. Hanf was enrolled for three years at Carnegie Institute of Technology, Pittsburgh, and is employed by the Jamison Coal & Coke company, near Greensburg. He has a number of friends in Connelleville. The date for the wedding was not announced. Miss Ruth is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Shannon, Miss Sadie Rae Hays, Miss Elizabeth Patterson, Miss Edith Colborn, and Mrs. Nelson C. Miller. Miss Ruth's uncle at the party, will give a six o'clock dinner in her honor Saturday evening at the Arlington hotel. Out of town guests at the party were Mrs. Clayton Jones and Mrs. Milton Williams of Dunbar and Miss Margaret Altemus of Johnstown.

Two New Members

The Elite Glee orchestra held its regular business meeting at the Waring studio last evening. Earl Nelson, banjo, and James Mills, mandolin, were admitted as members.

Mrs. Sweeney Hostess

A well attended meeting of the Woman's Missionary society of the United Brethren church was held yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Edward Sweeney in Eighth street, Greensburg. Business of a routine nature was transacted after which the hostess served daily refreshments. Later the members were entertained with microscopic pictures shown by Mrs. Sweeney.

Delightful Entertainment

The members of the Queen Esther chapter of the First Methodist Episcopal church held a very delightful entertainment last evening in the Cameron school building. A playlet, "The Girl Who Had No Town," was ably presented by Misses Ruth Conn, Helen Davidson, Harriet Johns, Zola Loomis, Lulu Carroll and Allette Peters. The program also included a piano solo by Miss Pauline Koser, solo by Miss Helen Gray, reading by Miss Catherine Stagner, a dramatic scene by Miss Dorothy Kutz and duet by two Bohemian girls, students at the McCrum Slovak Training school, Uniontown. A neat sum was realized from the candy booth, presided over by Miss Harriet Dunn.

Candidates Are Initiated

Four candidates, Mrs. Lottie Pratt, Mrs. Laura Shultz, Mrs. Rose Keifer and Mrs. Anna Harshman, were initiated at the regular meeting of the B. O. E. of R. T. at the regular meeting yesterday afternoon in Odd Fellows temple. It was announced that an invitation had been extended the members to attend services at the South Connelleville Evangelical church this evening and that the auxiliary had also been invited to the union meeting to be held some time this month by one of the Pittsburg organizations. The business meeting was followed by a social session. Music was rendered by Misses Jessie Treaster and Hazel Meekes, and refreshments were served by a committee composed of Mrs. Bessie Glover, Mrs. Frances Harshman, Mrs. Agnes Seese, Mrs. Lucy Husband, Mrs. Caroline Plandigan and Mrs. Sara Weishome.

Junior Class Entertains

The Junior class of the Gibson high school held a very enjoyable party last evening at the home of Miss Pearl Beck at South Connelleville. Various amusements were indulged in and dainty refreshments were served. In addition to the class members a number of other guests were present.

Party at Cooper Home

About sixty-eight guests attended a

delightful party held last evening at the home of Miss Helen Cooper in Washington street. The party was planned by Misses Kathryn Harper and Van Adams, assisted by Miss Cooper. Dancing and other amusements were indulged in and at a late hour dainty refreshments were served. Among the out of town guests were Miss Margaret Blier, James Eckman, Leo Keegan, Dan Quinn, Glen Stoner, Joseph O'Hara and Carl Porter, all of Scottdale; Miss Ruth Stillwagon, Miss Julia Luxner, Harry Stillwagon and Albert Luxner, all of Broad Ford, and Morton Bayne of Clarion.

Get-Together Meetings Planned

The Woman's Guild of Trinity Episcopal church held its regular meeting in the church house Wednesday night at 8 o'clock. Plans were made to hold a monthly get-together party on the third Wednesday of each month for the members of Trinity church and their friends. A large number of members were present at the meeting and one new member was taken in.

Miss Weber to Wed

Mr. and Mrs. Nicholas Weber of Clarion, Pa., announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Hazel Weber, to James T. Davidson of Brackenridge, Pa. The wedding will take place this month. Miss Weber formerly resided in Connelleville and has a wide circle of friends here. She is a niece of Mr. and Mrs. J. Blaine Reagan of Vine street.

U. B. Classes Entertained

The Win One and Young Men's Bible classes of the United Brethren Sunday school were entertained on Tuesday evening by Misses Myrtle and Marilyn Coughenour at their home in Aetna street. It was the regular meeting of the former class and the young men were guests. About 50 persons were in attendance. Pastimes of the evening were games and music, after which the hostess served lunch. Among the guests was Mr. and Mrs. Charles McGowan of Mount Pleasant.

Joint Meeting

A joint meeting of the Woman's Home and Foreign Missionary societies of the First Methodist Episcopal church, with many members in attendance, was held yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Harry T. Crossland in Tenth street, West Side. The Home society held the first meeting, with Mrs. N. B. Keil, president, conducting the devotional exercises. Mrs. Keil, Mrs. J. B. Davis, Mrs. W. R. Glasper, Mrs. W. S. Bohannon, presided at the meeting of the Foreign society. Papers were read by Mrs. Robinson and Mrs. J. B. Davis. Refreshments were served by the entertainment committee composed of Mrs. Holland Plonk, Mrs. H. L. Owey, Mrs. J. W. Raudman and Mrs. George Peters.

Mrs. Billing Hostess

The Silver Tumbler club was delightfully entertained yesterday afternoon by Mrs. Joseph Billing at her home in West Cedar avenue. It was the last meeting of the club for the current season and was well attended. The afternoon was spent at fancy work and a very enjoyable time was had. The hostess served delicious refreshments. Mrs. Harry Horton was a guest.

Mrs. Solson Hostess

Mrs. A. D. Solson was hostess to the members of the Christian Women's Board of Music at the monthly meeting, held at her home in East Crawford avenue. Mrs. John Robinson was in charge of the business session at which a committee on nomination for an annual election next meeting was named, the personnel being Mr. Solson, Mrs. C. D. Schell and Mrs. George Blackstone. Mrs. W. H. Berg was in charge of the literary program. The theme for study was "The Bible in the Philippines and in Tibet." Talks were given by Mrs. Schell and Mrs. G. W. Duckner. Mrs. Elizabeth Norton Buck sang. The hostess served lunch. The next meeting will be the first Thursday of June.

PERSONALS

Mrs. T. L. Miller and daughter, Miss Grace, left Wednesday night for New York to visit the former's son, Paul Miller.

The best place to shop after all, Brownell Shoe Company, Adv.

Mrs. H. E. Snyder is spending the day in Pittsburg.

Buy genuine Edison Mazda Lamp. Frank Sweeney, 100 South Pitt.

Mrs. John J. Driscoll went to Pittsburg this morning.

Go to Wright-Metzler's Market for cabbage and tomato plants this morning. Adv-3-11.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. McNulty went to Pittsburg this morning to reside. Mr. McNulty was manager of Collins drug store until it was recently sold.

For piano tuning call Peter H. Welmer's Piano Store, Connelleville, evenings. Bell 1083-J. Adv-15-11.

William Rogers and William Alt, all connected with the West Penn system, are in Pittsburg today on business.

The new spring woolens are beautiful. I have every conceivable shade and weave. Dave Cohen, Tailor. Adv.

Misses Nelle and Mary Connolly of Pittsburg are the guests of their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Dougherty of Cedar avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Rappe Myers of Greensburg and known in Connelleville

have been assigned by the administration at Washington to tour the world for specimens of rare plant life. While in Washington recently Mr. and Mrs. Myers were given a very interesting commission to go abroad and will be admitted to the gardens and forests of every nation in the world. They will go abroad as collaborators with the American authorities on foreign seed and plant introduction in Washington. They will spend the coming winter in Honolulu and then go to Japan, Spain, Portugal, Germany and England.

For the best and cheapest repairs on that roof, conductor or spouting, see F. T. Evans Estate. Adv.

Miss Frank Fagan and son, Clyde of Fairmont, W. Va., are the guests of the former's mother, Mrs. Sarah Barnhart of West Apple street. Sunday Mrs. Barnhart and Mrs. Fagan will go to Dravestown to visit the former's mother, Mrs. Sarah Ringler. They will be joined in Pittsburg by Mrs. Barnhart's daughter, Miss Myrtle Barnhart.

Send mother a card. Hall's Picture Store. Adv.-5-21.

Jack Storey of Irwin has returned home after a visit with his brother, and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Storey of the West Side.

Lamps, chandeliers, irons, toasters and other electric appliances at Frank Sweeney's, 100 South Pittsburg street. Adv-10.

Miss Mary Kathryn Phelan of Allenton is visiting relatives here today. Early tomato and cabbage plants at Wright-Metzler Market, North Pittsburg street. Adv-3-11.

C. A. Crowley is in Pittsburg today on business.

Have your old and dirty carpets cleaned up like new by the Goodwin Co. Adv-27-11.

Mrs. R. H. Smith of Dawson went to Lewisburg today to visit her daughter, Miss Nina Grace a student at Bucknell university.

We have just received a complete assortment of "Denison Crepe Papers" in all colors suitable for art and decorating at Keener's Book Store, 117 W. Apple St. Adv-5-31.

Miss Margaret Strawn left today for Canoga, O., to spend a few days with her brother, R. B. Strawn.

Mothers Day cards. Hall's Picture Store. Adv-5-21.

Mrs. P. T. Leach and daughter, Mrs. Wolfgang, of Scottdale, were Connelleville visitors yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Wright of Warren are guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Wright of South Pittsburg street.

New Grocery Store. The Progressive Trading store will open Saturday for business, 8 A. M. There will be some big bargains to be had in the line of brooms can goods, coffee tea and cocoa. For instance, you will be able to get a pound of coffee tea and cocoa for 14¢. There will be given away 100 pounds, absolutely free to the first 100 \$1 purchasers. The place is No. 97 South Sixth street, West Side, the old South building. Adv-6-11.

G. A. R. to Attend Funeral. William P. Kurtz Post No. 101, Grand Army of the Republic, will assemble at 2 o'clock tomorrow at the home of W. P. Clark's office to attend the funeral of Lewis W. Wolfe to be held at 2:30 o'clock at the First Presbyterian church. The G. A. R. ritual will be conducted at Hill Grove cemetery, where the private interment will be made.

Licensed at Greensburg. J. A. McElroy of Minneapolis, Minn., and Virginia Hancock of Mifflin, Pa., just long enough to fill the Shady Grove engagement before continuing to the Atlantic coast where, many believe, they will duplicate their far western success in the county's large temples of Temperance.

Fun Is Born. Word has been received here of the arrival of a nine-pound son Thursday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Hassel at Grove City. Mrs. Hassel was formerly Miss Thelma Poole of Connelleville.

Notice, Knights of Columbus. A special meeting will be held in the R. of C. Club rooms tonight at 8 o'clock. All members are requested to attend as this will be an important business meeting. Adv-6-11.

Foreign Records. Made in Europe are now on sale at Sanders & Stayman Piano Store, 109 West Apple street. Hear them. Adv-6-21.

Want Help? Advertise in our Classified Column.

The Effects of Opiates. THAT INFANTS are peculiarly susceptible to opium and its various preparations, all of which are narcotics, is well known. Even in the smallest doses, if continued, these opiates cause changes in the functions and growth of the cells which are likely to become permanent, causing imbecility, mental perversion, a craving for alcohol or narcotics in later life. Nervous diseases, such as intractable nervous depression and lack of staying power are a result of doing with opiates or narcotics to keep children quiet in their infancy. The rule among physicians is that children should never receive opiates in the smallest doses for more than a day at a time, and only then if unavoidable.

The administration of Anodynes, Drops, Cordials, Soothing Syrups and other narcotics to children by any but a physician cannot be too strongly deprecated, and the druggist should not be a party to it. Children who are ill need the attention of a physician, and it is nothing less than a crime to give them willfully with narcotics.

Caution: Opium is a narcotic and it is a crime to give it to children without the signature of a physician. Genuine Castoria always bears the signature of Dr. H. P. Jackson.

Special Feature Dance—Shady Grove Park. Wednesday Evening, May 11th, 1921. California Ambassador Orchestra. of Los Angeles, Cal. Hours 8 to 12. Assessment: Gentlemen, \$2.00; Ladies, 75c.

The Ambassador Orchestra is composed of ten all-star musicians and is known as one of the best orchestras in the West. Coming direct from the Ambassador Hotel Los Angeles en route to Atlantic City.



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Grim Reaper

HARRY E. WHEELER.

Harry E. Wheeler, 31 years old, died Wednesday at the home of his sister, Mrs. Emma Moore, of Dunbar, of complication of diseases. He is survived by his widow, who has been making her home with her father, J. H. Stone of Greensburg; two children, his mother, two sisters, Mrs. Boyd of Mount Braddock and Mrs. Emma Moore of Dunbar, and a brother, Milton Wheeler of West Leisenburg.

The funeral will be held at the Moore home tomorrow morning at 10:30 o'clock with Rev. O. W. Bolton of the Methodist Protestant church of Dunbar, officiating. The interment will be made in Hill Grove cemetery, Connelleville.

CHARLES H. PERRY. JOHNSTOWN, May 6.—Charles H. Perry, a brother of Frank Perry of Scottdale, died Wednesday at his home at Chest Springs. Mr. Perry was 72 years old and for many years was a lumber dealer.

MRS. MARY SEASE.

Mrs. Mary Sease died Thursday morning at the home of her daughter, Mrs. A. C. Duffey of York Pa. She was 78 years old. Two sons, Francis D. Sease of Connelleville and Sebastian Sease of Dunbar, three daughters, Mrs. Nancy Morrison, Connelleville; Mrs. W. M. Hillabell, Mill Run, and Mrs. A. C. Duffey, with whom Mrs. Sease made her home for the past 16 years, and several grandchildren survive.

The funeral will be held tomorrow morning at 10:30 o'clock at the Duffey home, with Rev. Clark Moon of Fairchance officiating. The interment will be made in Chestnut Hill cemetery, Connelleville.

Famous California Orchestra to Play At Shady Grove.

The Winter Garden at Shady Grove has made a long stride in promoting the famous California Ambassador orchestra for next Wednesday night when Payette county dance lovers will hear one of the country's best known musical aggregations in the garden dance hall. On their way east where this hope to repeat the triumph which has been indisputably theirs in Los Angeles, the Californians are to stop one night in Western Pennsylvania, just long enough to fill the Shady Grove engagement before continuing to the Atlantic coast where, many believe, they will duplicate their far western success in the county's large temples of Temperance.

Paul Whitman, it will be recalled, left this same orchestra a year ago for the east to become director of the Hotel Ambassador orchestra, Atlantic City. It was there he made a place for himself in the sun, in one short season that has not been equalled by any western. Unlabeled dance critics, declaring that despite Whitman's desertion, the Californian group is still the peak of the country's best. It will be the most costly dance program that has ever been staged in Payette county, but Manager Bert Miller feels the expense well justified in giving the patrons of the Winter Garden the best.

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POLL TAX ON MEN AND WOMEN

Amount Is Fixed at \$5 and Applies to
All Persons Over 21 Years of Age;
Fifty-Three East Huntingdon Grade
Students Given Diplomas; Notes.

Special to The Courier.
SCOTSDALE, May 6.—At a special meeting of the borough school board on Wednesday evening the millage for the coming year was set at 18 mills for the general fund and two mills for the sinking fund, making the tax 20 mills, the same as last year. The division is different. Last year 18-1-1 was set aside for the general fund and 1-2-4 for the sinking fund. A tax of \$5 per capita on all persons over 21 years was levied.

The following teachers were elected, Hubertia McClary, Mattida Tannehill, Jessie Dinger, Fern Springer, Sara Shorrick, Edna Rhodes, Mary Weastler, Elizabeth Miller, Ruth Elcher, Kate Tannehill, Adeline Stauffer, Bertha Cowling, Katherine MacBurney, Pearl DePriest, Ann Dick, Lela Shippe, Goldie McLaughlin, Mazie Love, Elizabeth Henry, Maude A. Loucks, Leviah Sherrick, Eva Rittenhouse, Carrie Mae Frye, Marie Roth, William Copley, Carolyn T. Wagener, O. E. Babinette, C. B. Petty, Mary Myers, Virginia Evans, S. D. Fuller and P. O. Peterson.

Mumps Causes Death.
Mary M. Buzek, one year and two months old, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Buzek of Everson, died at her home there following an attack of mumps. Funeral services were held this morning at the St. Joseph's church and interment followed in the St. Joseph's cemetery.

L. B. Women Meet.
The Missionary society of the United Brethren church held its meeting at the church yesterday with Mrs. W. F. Stoner in charge of the devotions and Mrs. Leslie Stoner in charge of the medical work. Miss Ella Klom gave a talk on "Training of Native Leaders." The hostesses and aides for the day were Mrs. Leslie Stoner, Mrs. Daniel Stauffer, Mrs. Elmer Morrow, Mrs. J. W. Ruth, Mrs. M. East, Mrs. J. D. Welmer, Mrs. L. H. Murray, Mrs. John Stocks, Mrs. Frank O'Rourke, Mrs. Charles Kelly, Mrs. John Smith and Mrs. David Giles. Refreshments were served.

Missionary Meeting.
The Young Ladies' Missionary society of the Reformed church held its meeting in the church last evening. Following the program refreshments were served.

Home From Freshwater Meeting.
Mrs. J. E. Hutchinson, Mrs. W. B. Null, Mrs. George Parker, Mrs. Harvor and Mrs. J. R. Smith returned home yesterday from the annual meeting of the Redstone Presbyterian Ladies' Missionary society meeting held in Uniontown. One of the things done at the convention was the equipping of the domestic science department at the Laura Sunderland school where Miss Hutchinson of Scottdale, a sister of Rev. J. E. Hutchinson, has charge of the domestic science department.

For Sale.
Six-room house, live acres good land, garage 30x22, one and two-tenths miles from Iron Bridge street car stop. An ideal home. Can give immediate possession of land and of house in 30 days; for \$2,700; \$2,000 down, balance secured by first mortgage. E. F. DeWitt—Adv-4-4t

East Huntingdon Commencement.
Commencement exercises for grade students of East Huntingdon township were held in Mount Lebanon church at 7:30 last evening. The following program was carried out: Music, high school; invocation, Rev. C. H. Deall; music, high school; salutatory, Hazel Hensell; recitation, Ruth McCracken; essay, Hazel Siskey; recitation, Dorothy Hanson; music, high school; recitation, Carl Andrich; orator, Mabel Sutor; recitation, Ada Vance; valedictory, John Hill; address, Rev. H. J. Whalen; presentation of diplomas; Prof. J. H. Elliott, fifty-three students graduated. Following is the class roll, the first 10 being in the order of standing:
John Hill, Sarah H. Siskey, Ada Vance, Mabel Sutor, Carl Andrich, Ruth McCracken, Hazel Hensell, Mary McCracken, John Mosch, J. H. Hixon, Francis Armstrong, Frances Bailing, Mary Belster, Pearl Christner, Mattie Craig, Robert Croushore, Warren Elcher, Ferner Felgar, Dorothy Hanson, Glee Ora Heenkanp, Irene Hixson, Gertrude Johnson, Helen Jurello, Anna Kelanle, Harold Koser, Kenneth Love, John Lukaonsky, Irene Lynch, Helen McNally, Harlan Medgar, Ruth Middleton, Helen Miedel, Viola Miller, Jacob Minister, Adberta Moon, Frances Myers, Emma Orvitz, Ralph Orvitz, Mary L. Pershing, Andy Popovich, Agnes Pokorny, Raymond Ritchie, Gwendolyn Rollison, Herman Shanon, J. P. Shaker, Anna Shinka, Emogene Taylor, Burton Ware, Arthur Weissel, Helen Weissel, Nyma Weitzel, Blidie Weinbrenner and Eleanor Yecker.

Personal News.
Patronize those who advertise.
Have your old and dirty carpets cleaned up like new by the Goodwin Co., Connelville. Adv-37-4t

Right of Railroad To Confiscate Coal Is Not Yet Settled

While refusing to review decisions of Pennsylvania courts in a case involving confiscation of fuel by a railroad company in a particular case, the United States Supreme Court in 1919 decided in favor of the railroad company in the suit brought by the cement company, on the ground that title to the coal never passed to the cement company with its removal from the mine, and its decision was sustained by the Circuit Court of Appeals for the third circuit. The cement company asked the Supreme Court to review the case, but it declined and in doing so gave no reasons, as is the custom; hence the conclusion that the court has not definitely passed on the question.

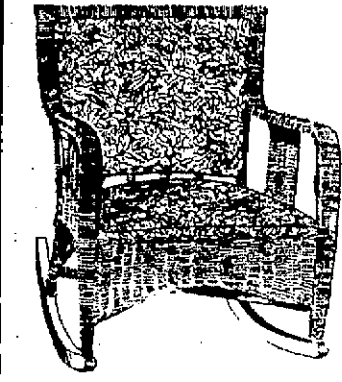


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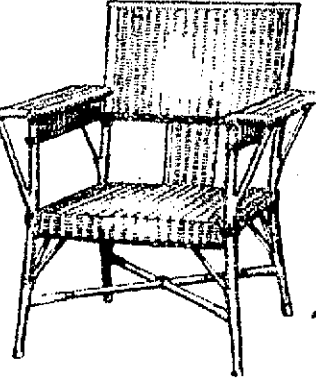
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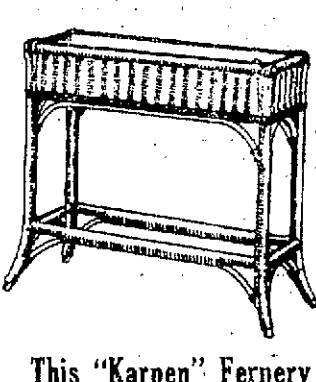
This "Karpen" Table
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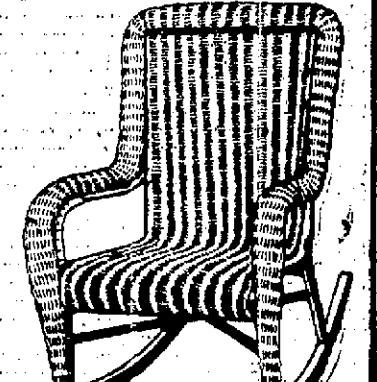
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Rocker—Priced at \$10



Exactly as shown—these pieces are well made and are finished in baronial brown, which is weather-proof and practically indestructible. At this low price every home can enjoy the many comforts these pieces provide.



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Specially Priced \$15



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Rocker at \$8.75

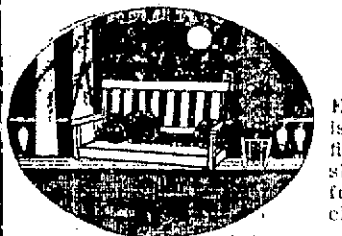
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4 Ft. Settee to Match—Specially Priced \$19.75

This Fernery is also finished in the popular baronial brown—and is exactly as shown in the illustration. It is of Karpen construction throughout. Comes complete with a heavy galvanized iron liner. Don't miss seeing this value.

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25 lb. Ice Capacity Refrigerators \$9.75
These Refrigerators are of the top-tier style and will fill the needs of the small family. Are lined with heavy galvanized iron and have removable shelf.

30 lb. Ice Capacity Refrigerators \$18
These Refrigerators are white enamel lined and have a removable shelf. Are of the top-tier style.

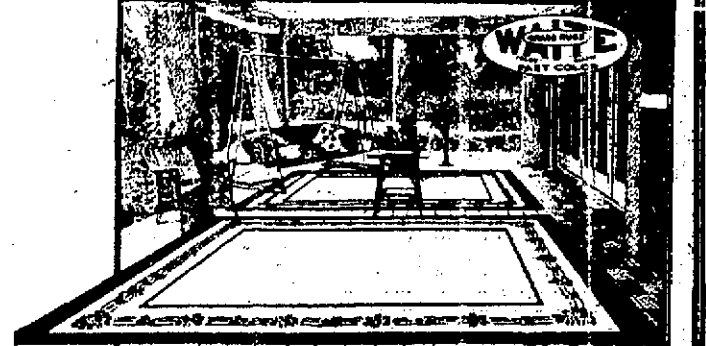
60 lb. Ice Capacity Refrigerators \$28
Of the top-tier style—these Refrigerators will meet the needs of the average size family. Are white enamel lined and have two removable shelves.

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These Refrigerators have an ice capacity of 90 lbs. Are white enamel lined and have three removable shelves.

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road company in a particular case, lawyers in touch with coal mines do not regard the action of the United States Supreme Court as finally settling the question as to the authority of railroads to confiscate fuel destined for a consumer for its fuel use. The case in question was that of the Phoenix Portland Cement company of Nazareth, Pa., which contracted with the Piedmont & Georges Creek Coal company of Frostburg, Md., for 25,000 tons of gas slack coal from West Virginia mines for delivery at its plant at Nazareth. In September, 1916, the Baltimore & Ohio railroad confiscated 44 cars of the coal consigned to it for delivery to Nazareth, and defended its action on the ground that it was part of its fuel contract with the mine, the railroad contract being later than the cement company contract. The District Court for the eastern district of Pennsylvania in 1919 decided in favor of the railroad company in the suit brought by the cement company, on the ground that title to the coal never passed to the cement company with its removal from the mine, and its decision was sustained by the Circuit Court of Appeals for the third circuit. The cement company asked the Supreme Court to review the case, but it declined and in doing so gave no reasons, as is the custom; hence the conclusion that the court has not definitely passed on the question.

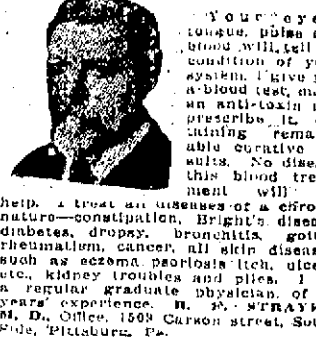
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The Sporting World

YOUGH VALLEY INDEPENDENTS SIGN TIMCHECK

Frank A. Timcheck, "Daddy" of the Yough Valley Independents, is adding strength to his team on every opportunity and the latest he has brought to his outfit, Timcheck, is a "phenomenal" twirler of the Yough valley.

Timcheck has made some fine records in previous years and if the moundman shows his usual form the Yough Valley team will be wonderfully strengthened. It will place the team in the running with first class aggregations of the western end of the state.

In spite of the fact that the Coker Independents have not yet opened the season the Yough Valley aggregation is looking to be dated for a game. When the two teams do meet it is bound to be some contest.

Timcheck, it is said, has had offers to work in the minors but turned them all down because of the fact that he is taking a course in mining engineering and refuses to let baseball interfere with his studies. In addition to being a crackjack pitcher, Timcheck is known as a real slugger.

The interest in the proposed church league is surprising. It is expected that many favorable reports will be made Monday evening when the representatives of the various congregations meet again at the "Y" for further discussion of the subject.

The Pirates added a few more points to their first place percentage yesterday by decisively defeating St. Louis, 8-3. The Cards started off with a one-run lead in the first inning and made it two in the fourth. Then the Buccaneers got busy and in their half of the fourth piled up enough runs to tie the score, adding another in the sixth and four in the seventh.

It is about time for "horseshoes" to be coming into its own. The followers of this game are already arranging a few tournaments.

Randolph, of Dunbar township, who pitched for the Florence Mines team last season and who in all probability will be on the mound for the Yough Valley Independents before the close of the season, is doing some fine work at Belknap college, where he is attending school. In a game against St. Francis he won a 9-3 victory. Randy has 15 strikeouts to his credit and also slammed the pill for a home-run and a two-bagger.

Randolph also won his opening game, with Marietta college, by the big score of 23-2. Out of six times at bat he got four hits, one of which was a homer.

Diamond Squibs

Marietta always carries a couple of "rubber" feet with him.

Kocher, Kleck and Scheppert, former Giants, are with Louisville.

If it weren't for us, every big league team would clinch the flag.

Many a rookie pitcher's start in a big league ball game is also his finish.

A college star merely has to be up in his studies of baseball to locate in the big leagues.

They call Walt Johnson's hurling a "smoke" arm, but there's lots of fire there yet.

The American league is full of promising teams. All promise to flash in the last division.

Cobb says his Tigers left San Antonio in fine shape. Always was a pretty good place.

Manager Robble of the Dodgers has just issued a Wheat report: "Zack is in tiptop condition."

John McGraw shipped Pitcher Reg- holds Kelly to the St. Paul club as part payment for Goldie Rapp.

A chicken isn't the only bird who gets it in the neck. A lot of baseball rookies will back that statement.

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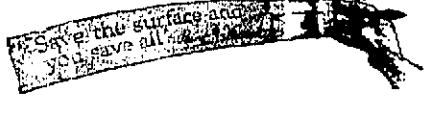
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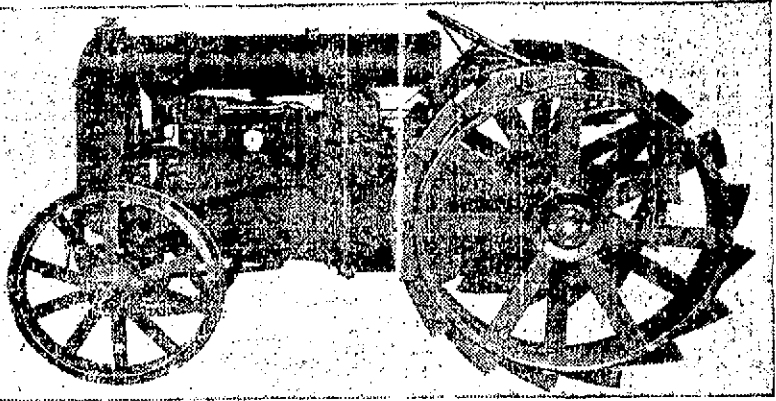
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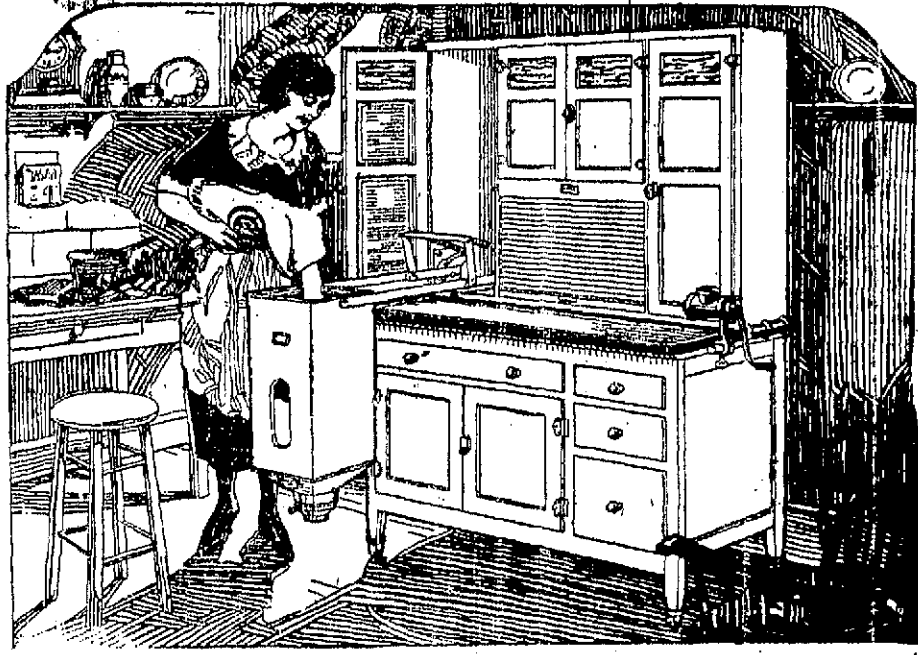
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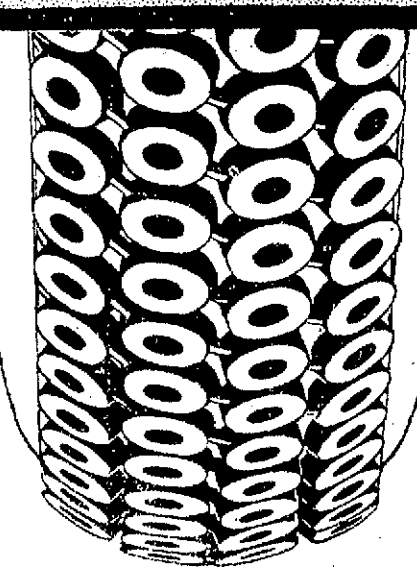
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At the Theatres

THE SOLESON.

"GOOD REFERENCES"—With Constance Tammage in a delightful role, is being shown today and will also be presented tomorrow. The picture has an appeal that will fascinate, thrill and amuse everybody. It is replete with thrills. Mary Wayne, until recently the daughter and secretary of an infatuated novelist, but one whose books never sold, finds herself in the shabbiest kind of a boarding house waiting for a position between her and the cruel world. Mary tries to stall the landlady on the board-bill, but a little corner on which she had been doing some forbidden cooking, and which had been thrust under the bed at the approach of an enemy, sets fire to the counterpane, making it doubly impossible for the old lady to give Mary the air and call the fire engines. In answer to an ad placed by "The Brain Workers" employment agency, Mary applies for a position, but being without references the agency refuses to even consider her. As Mary is leaving the office, she meets Neil Norton, who has just obtained a position, but celebrates her good fortune by becoming very ill. There is nothing for Mary to do but swap personalities and take the position, which is in the home of Miss Caroline Marshall, an old maid, and a religious enthusiast. Bill, her nephew, has just returned from college, bringing with him an old pal, Pete, whom he smuggles into the house as his valet. The humorous situation and the embarrassing dilemma in which Mary is subsequently placed help to make the picture one of splendid entertainment value.

THE PARAMOUNT.

"A WESTERN ADVENTURER"—Presenting William Fairbanks, in the feature attraction today and tomorrow. Bill Fairbanks, a hard-fighting, fast-shooting young westerner looking for action, drifts into the famous Poco country, where Buck Stanton, the outlaw, and his gang are terrorizing the citizens. Buck has just staged an unsuccessful though sensational hold-up of the bank and is making his escape from the sheriff and his posse when Bill meets him. Bill incurs the enmity of Buck. Bill learns that Buck intends kidnapping Rose Weldon, whose father has discovered a gold mine and whom Buck and his gang have murdered on his refusal to tell them its location. Bill attempts to foil the kidnapping and in the fight that follows he is wounded and captured with Rose. They, however, make their escape. Buck again attempts to hold up the bank and in the fight that follows most of the gang are killed, but he escapes with Bill in close pursuit. Bill follows his trail through the wild mountain country and after many thrilling and nail-biting escapes from death, finally catches up with Buck. They meet in a saloon and there fight it out in a hand-to-hand encounter. The sheriff later catches and arrests Buck, who, however, makes a daring escape, with Bill close behind. They again meet on a mountain road and in the fight both lose their balance on the cliff and fall, fighting on the way down into the water 200 feet below. The end of this picture will give you a thrill you will long remember.

THE OAPHEUS.

"THE PLUNGER"—Made from an original story by Thomas F. Fallon, a feature attraction today and will also be presented tomorrow. As its name indicates, "The Plunger" is a story of Wall Street. It is a highly dramatic tale of a former office boy who became a millionaire broker and by his spectacular operations on the stock exchange won for himself the sobriquet of "Take a Chance" Schuyler. Bill Henderson, a well-known director working under the Fox banner, filmed the picture from its original story by Thomas F. Fallon. Of unusual interest are scenes taken in the heart of the nation's financial district, at Broad and Wall streets. There is an excellent view of the exact spot where the explosion occurred—taken, according to report, only a few hours before the fatal blast. There are exciting scenes, too, in near-by brokers' offices, where much of the plot is developed. A picture of the New York stock exchange, which sweeps the famous buildings from street to street, was made from the roof of J. P. Morgan & Company's building, and the opposite side of the street. A charming love story runs through the picture, the role of the girl being enacted by the winsome Virginia Valli.



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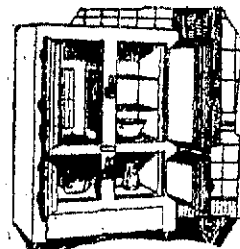
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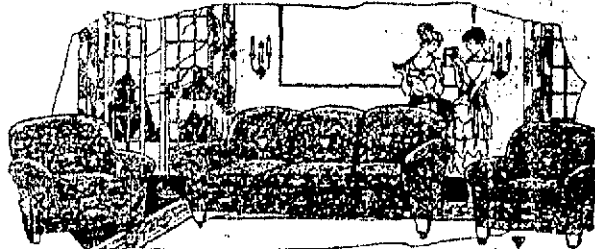
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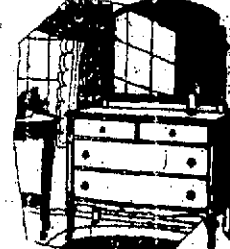
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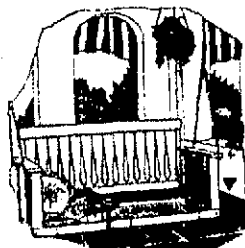
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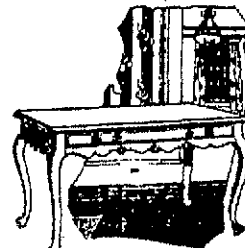
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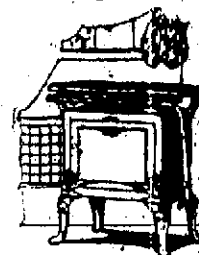
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Confluence.
CONFLUENCE, May 5.—Chautauqua will be here June 18 to 22. The guarantors are getting busy.
G. A. Elliott and family have moved here from Somerset.
Miss Stella Hainbaugh was a recent visitor to Pinkerton.
Mrs. Earl Clifton was a visitor to Connellsville yesterday.
Rev. E. D. Boyer of Avonmore, Pa., was here yesterday on his way to Accident, Md., to visit friends.
Mrs. Jennie Sellers of Meyersdale was a visitor with friends here this week.
Adrian Crow has returned to his home in Braddock after visiting with friends for several days.
Will McCollough of Somerset was here on his way to Somerset to serve as a grand juror this week.
Dr. H. P. Meyers, who has been ill, is again able to take up his work.

Joseph Smith of Unamis was in town yesterday, transacting business. Mrs. William Oliver of Pittsburg is visiting friends here.
Herbert Sanner was a business visitor to Connellsville yesterday.
J. L. Reber of Johnson Chapel was in town yesterday transacting business.
Miss Gwendolyn Elcher has returned to her home at Fort Hill after a visit with friends here.
Mrs. M. B. Mitchell has returned from a visit with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Davis in Connellsville.
Heavy robbery and damage losses. Railroads lost \$104,000,000 in 1920 from robbery of freight and other damages to freight, according to figures prepared by claim agents.

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CONDITIONS IN REGION REMAIN UNCHANGED FROM WEEK TO WEEK

Production Drops Off But Is Close to the Recent Weekly Average.

MORE INQUIRIES ARE OUT

But Do Not Indicate Any Considerable Increase in Demand. Although Several Merchant Operators Seem Inclined to Bring Up More Ovens.

From The Weekly Courier.

Coke production dropped backward last week but not sufficient to neutralize the gain made during the preceding week. The relative position may therefore be said to be unchanged, inasmuch as the regional tonnage remains very close to the recent weekly average. The furnace interests made a somewhat better record than the merchant, the decrease in the former's production having been 330 tons as compared with 2,480 by the latter. The independent furnace operations made a slight gain which was offset by a falling off in output of the principal furnace interest. The merchants failed to sustain the gain made during the week ended April 23, there having been a not decrease in their active oven list, a number of which were only nominally in production.

On the whole there are so few or so slight changes in the general situation from week to week that they are not reflected in the coke trade. The iron trade still being in the doldrums the coke trade remains very much the same. There is an undefined feeling, however, that conditions are not as bad as they were, which is another way of saying that they are at least beginning to be better. There are more inquiries for coke, but these in the main come from quarters which I think that consumers are casting about for a change in the sources of their supply rather than indicating an increased demand. Several of the merchant operators who are running their plants in part report all the business, particularly for foundry coke, they can handle with their present active equipment. One such producer added to his active oven list last week and is making still larger increases this week. Another and still larger operation is pursuing the same policy.

While there is not complete unanimity as to what coke prices should be, the bulk of the producers are disinclined to lend their support to a price-cutting campaign. They feel that it is unbusinesslike as a means of securing a share of the very small business offering and worse than futile as a stimulant to the market and dangerous as a precedent that will plague the producers when demand has gained volume, as it will in the natural course of events.

The effect of the United States Steel Corporation's reduction in wages, having been discounted over a month ago, when the independent producers took the initiative, about the only discussion provoked by the former's announcement of the cut is confined to speculation as to the reasons for the protracted delay in making the reduction. The adoption of the wage scale by the independents has seemingly settled the question for them and sales of coke made during the past month have been on the basis of the reduced cost of manufacture. If the new scale of the H. C. Frick Coke company is a virtual restoration of the scale of December 1, 1919, which is approximately 20 per cent below that now in effect, the result will be two standards of rates, one at the Frick plants and a lower scale at the independent operations. In such an event a situation would be created unlike any existing since before the first Frick scale of February, 1894, was adopted, under which and those subsequently adopted, the wages of the region have been uniform at all plants. Just what the effect of having two scales would be remains to be seen. One view of the matter is that it might become a disturbing factor in the coke market and also the source of some friction in the region.

The estimated production of coke during the week ending Saturday, April 30, was 48,110 tons, credited to the two districts as follows: Connellsville, 27,530; a decrease of 2,060 tons; Lower Connellsville, 21,180; a de-

COKE TRADE SUMMARY.

The coke situation remains virtually without change from week to week. While production fell off slightly last week, following a larger gain during the preceding week, the total holds close to the recent average. The furnace interests sustained the smaller loss last week just as they made the larger gain during the week ended April 23. They have outdistanced the merchants by a head in the matter of tonnage but they have proportionately fewer ovens in blast.

Several merchant producers are experiencing greater activity. They have recently closed a fair volume of business and having faith that it will stay with them are taking up more ovens to take care of it. There are somewhat more inquiries, but the quarters whence they come indicate that consumers are casting about for new sources of supply, or better prices, rather than reflecting a growing or receding demand.

The bulk of producers are resisting the price-cutting tendencies which some buyers have been interested in promoting. While a scale of spot furnace coke has been made at \$2.50 the leading producers adhere to \$3.75 as the minimum on fairly large orders and will not take business on single car lots at less than \$4. Foundry is in more active demand, raising from \$5.00 to \$5.25 with \$5.25 being paid on one lot loaded in open top.

crease of 810 tons, or a total decrease of 2,870 tons, compared with a gain of 4,340 tons during the preceding week. The production by interests was: Furnace, 26,050, a loss of 230 tons; merchant, 22,060, a loss of 2,480 tons, as compared with gains of 3,780 and 1,780 tons respectively during the week ended April 23.

There was a not decrease of 232 in the number of ovens in production, 80 having been added at furnace and 312 blown out at merchant plants.

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"I had rheumatism in my legs, shoulders and back, and at times my legs were in such bad shape I couldn't walk straight and had to walk around as a cripple. I had such sharp pains through my shoulders that I could hardly swing my sledge hammer in the mines, and it kept me in agony to do so. My appetite left me, my stomach became all upset, and I lost so much weight and strength I had to lay off from my work three or four days a week. I was so dizzy and nervous that I shook like a man with the palsy, and I began to think I would have to give up my work altogether."

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—Adv.

RATE OF ACTIVITY IN STEEL MILLS IS STILL ABOUT 35-40%

Failure to Secure Readjustment of Wages in Building Trades an Unfavorable Development.

Special to The Weekly Courier.

NEW YORK, May 4.—The American Metal Market and Daily Iron & Steel Report will review the steel and iron trade tomorrow as follows:

Steel mill operations are not increasing at the present time, the average for the industry as a whole being probably between 35 and 40 per cent of capacity, with the United States Steel Corporation and independents operating at substantially the same proportion. There have been increases in some lines in the volume of specifications and releases received but in the general aggregate these are probably balanced by the expiration of old orders.

The new prices, representing an equalization between the steel corporation and independents, are well held all along the line, recent reports of irregularities being attributed to the closing of business against old quotations, which were conventionally discovered to be still binding on sellers. The poor prospects for demand in the near future are likely to discourage producers from attempting to build up an economical operation by the price-cutting method. Present prices are far from profitable at the low rate of operation now ruling and in prospect.

No doubt is entertained in the steel trade that the present dullness in business generally is due to the continuance of high wage rates, particularly in the building trades, and the failure in so many quarters to secure a readjustment in building trades wages is

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"HELD BY THE ENEMY"

May 1st is regarded as a distinctly unfavorable development.

Foundry pig iron demand has begun to show some slight signs of improvement, but the best that can be expected in the next few weeks is a more rapid reduction in stocks. There is no thought on the part of furnacemen or blowing in idle stacks. Lower freights on blast furnace raw materials are regarded as absolutely essential for the building up of a real market in pig iron.

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